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Enclosed for filing please find a: Response to Restriction
Requirement

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COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
 Washington, D.C. 20231

Attorney
 Docket No.: CCDLT-300XX

Sir:

In re application of: Jiang et al.

Entitled: NOVEL CHEMILUMINESCENT SUBSTRATES OF HYDROLYTIC ENZYMES
 AND THEIR USE IN ASSAYS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The following checked items are applicable:

- [] This is a Request for Continued Examination under §1.114; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of same (\$_____) per §1.17(e).
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[] _____ is hereby appointed Associate Attorney by:

Registration No.:

Attorney of Record:
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Independent	8 - 8	= 0	x \$84.00 =	0
Total	42 - 42	= 0	x \$18.00 =	0
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Via Facsimile
 Commissioner for Patents
 Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Office communication / Restriction Requirement mailed 1/8/03.

Applicant, having received the communication of 1/8/03, has reconsidered its response to the Restriction Requirement and provisionally elects Group IV (claims 39-42) with traverse.

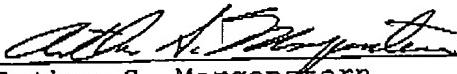
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Applicant requests reconsideration of the restriction requirement. The claims in Group IV (claims 39-42) and Group II (claims 30-32) both relate to enzymatic reactions, and Applicant suggests that it would not create an undue burden if both of these Groups were combined.

The Examiner is encouraged to telephone the undersigned attorney to discuss any matter that would expedite allowance of the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

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